



**CREDIT CERTIFICATION AND REGISTRATION FORM  
FOR WASTEWATER POINT SOURCE**  
**PROJECT DURATION: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31,**

**A. PROJECT ELIGIBILITY**

Please respond to the questions below.

Yes

- |     |   |                          |
|-----|---|--------------------------|
| (1) | Does the NPDES or State Discharge Permit for this facility allow nitrogen, phosphorus, or sediment trading?   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) | Have all discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) for the compliance year associated with this credit request been submitted to the Department?                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) | Did this facility operate below the NPDES or State Discharge Permit assigned performance-based benchmark loads for nitrogen, phosphorus, and/or sediment? | <input type="checkbox"/> |

If the answers to questions 1 – 3 are yes, please proceed with this application. Otherwise, contact the Maryland Department of the Environment at [mde.wqtrading@maryland.gov](mailto:mde.wqtrading@maryland.gov)

**B. APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Applicant Name:

Mailing Address:

Municipality:

State:

ZIP Code:

Telephone Number:

Email:

If the Applicant is not the Contact Person, please provide the following information for the Contact Person below.

Contact Person Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

**C. PROJECT INFORMATION**

NPDES Discharge Permit Number:

State Discharge Permit Number:

Facility Name:

Ownership:

Facility Address (Not P.O. Box):

Municipality:

State: MARYLAND

ZIP Code:

Wastewater Point Source: Municipal ☐

Industrial ☐

Other (Please explain below) ☐

Surface Water Discharge: ☐

Groundwater Discharge: ☐

Other: (Please explain below) ☐

Design Capacity:

Treatment Technology:

#### D. PROJECT DETAILS

(1)	Determine the Trading Region serviced by your project using the information available at: <a href="https://arcg.is/1Pujle">https://arcg.is/1Pujle</a>		
	Patuxent <input type="checkbox"/>	Potomac <input type="checkbox"/>	Eastern Shore/Western Shore/MD Susquehanna Basins <input type="checkbox"/>
(2)	Determine the segmentshed of outfall using the information available at: <a href="https://arcg.is/1Pujle">https://arcg.is/1Pujle</a>		
	Segmentshed: <input type="text"/>		
(3)	Edge of Tide (EoT) Factor:		
	Nitrogen EoT Factor: <input type="text"/>	Phosphorus EoT Factor: <input type="text"/>	Sediment EoT Factor: <input type="text"/>

#### E. TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS GENERATED

	TN	TP	TSS	
E.1 Performance-Based EoS Load*	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	lbs/yr
E.2 Performance-Based EoT Load (E.1 x D.3)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	lbs/yr
E.3 Credits Generated (E.2 x 0.95) (Round down to next whole number for total credits generated)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	lbs/yr

\*From spreadsheet for TN, TP, and TSS Performance Based Credit Loads Calculation

#### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

- ☐ Spreadsheet for TN, TP, and TSS Performance Based Credit Loads Calculation
- ☐ Cover Letter from the Authorized Individual Transmitting the Application Package to the Department

#### PUBLIC INFORMATION NOTICE

Your application cannot be processed unless all of the requested information and accompanying documents have been supplied. These materials will be used by the Maryland Department of the Environment to confirm the applicant's eligibility to participate in the Maryland Water Quality Trading Program, verify existing effluent performance data and register tradable credits. You have the right to inspect, amend, or correct any information provided. Under State Government Article, §10-611 et seq., Annotated Code of Maryland, the information contained in your application and documents may be available for public inspection.

**All Supporting Documentation Should be Uploaded to the Registry.**

#### APPLICATION CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

I certify that the information on the Credit Certification and Registration Form and any accompanying documents are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. I grant permission to the Department, verifier, and their agents to enter the project site for inspection purposes during working hours. I will abide by the conditions of all permits or licenses issued for this project and will operate the project in a manner that will generate the credits identified in this application. I understand that none of the information contained in the application form is confidential and that I may request that required information be considered confidential under applicable laws.

I understand that I must provide an update of this credit registration, in writing within 30 days, to the Department and the credit buyer, if applicable, if there is a change in: (1) project operations that could reasonably be expected to affect this credit certification; or (2) ownership of the project.

I further understand that failure to sign the application will result in the application being deemed incomplete.

**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE:**

**DATE:**

Send completed form **via electronically** and any accompanying materials (See Supporting Documentation List above) to:

[mde.wqtrading@maryland.gov](mailto:mde.wqtrading@maryland.gov)

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